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Rev. George A. Paull, Pastor. Divine Worship at 10.30 A. M. and 7.45 P. M. Sunday-school at 12 M. Young People's Prayer Meeting at 6.45 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

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Sunday services: Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Remi J. Buttinghausen, at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday-school at 2.15 P. M. Prayer-meeting, Tuesday at 8 P. M. Young People's Society, Friday, at 8 P. M. Young Men's Christian Association meets on Thursday evenings at 8 P. M.

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Rev. Charles A. Cook, pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday-school at 12. All cordially invited. All seats free.

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Rev. Dr. C. S. Woodruff, pastor. Men's meeting Mizpah Brotherhood 9.45 A. M. Church Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday-school at 12 M. Vesper service Epworth League at 7 P. M. Tuesday evening's classes meet at 8 P. M. Wednesday evening, prayer Service at 8 P. M. Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock Junior Epworth League.

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The Rev. P. G. Blight, Pastor. Morning Services at 10:30 A. M. Sunday-school at 2:30 P. M, Epworth League at 7 P. M. Evening Service at 7:45, Prayer Service, Wednesday 8 P. M., Sunday Class-meeting at 9:30 A. M.

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The Rev. J. M. Nardiello, pastor. First Mass, 6.30 A. M. Mass and sermon, 8.30 A. M. High Mass and sermon, 10.30 A. M. Sunday-school, 3 P. M. Vesper service, 3.30 P. M.

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SUNDAY SERVICES:

Celebration of Holy Communion, 8 A. M.
Morning prayer and sermon, 11 A. M.
Sunday-school at 9.45 A. M.
Choral Even Song 4.30 P. M.

East Orange Baptist Church.

Prospect Street, Rev. M. V. McDuffie, pastor. Services at 11 o'clock A. M and 7.45 P. M. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M Prayer-meeting at 7.45 Friday evening

Montgomery Chapel.

Wilson S. Phraner, Superintendent. Preaching every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Service of Song at 7.45 P. M. Sunday-school at 3 P. M. Young People's meeting at 7.15 P. M.

During the week the gymnasium and reading-room will be open for men and boys on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 10 P. M., and on Saturday afternoon from 2.30 to 5.30 P. M.; for ladies and girls on Thursday evening from 7.30 to 10 P. M. Montgomery Chapel cadets will drill on Friday evening.

Ascension Chapel.—Episcopal.

Corner Montgomery Street and Berkeley Avenue. Rev. Mr. Lewis R. Levering, Minister in charge. Holy Communion 8:30 A. M. Sundays. Sunday-school at 3.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.45 o'clock.

Silver Lake Union Chapel.

Franklin street, corner Belmont avenue. Sabbath services: Sunday-school, 2 P. M. Preaching, 7.45 P. M. Week-day prayer meeting, Wednesday evening 8 P. M. Everybody welcome.

Glen Ridge Congregational.

Corner of Ridgewood Avenue and Clark Street. Rev. Elliott Wilber Brown, pastor. Sunday Services, 10.45 A. M. and 7.45 P. M. Sunday-school 12 o'clock. Young People's Society Christian Endeavor at 7 P. M. Church Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M.

St. John's Lutheran Church.

Corner Liberty Street and Austin Place. Rev. H. A. Steininger, pastor. Services 10.45 A. M. and 7.45 P. M. Sunday-school at 2 P. M. Ladies' Aid Society first Sabbath of every month at 3 P. M. Junior Society last Thursday of every month at 7.45 P. M.

Unity Church, (Unitarian).

Rev. Leslie Willis Sprague, Minister. Unity Hall, South Fullerton Avenue, near Bloomfield Avenue, Montclair, Sunday-school at 9.45. Morning Service at 11 o'clock. Topic: "Atheism in all religions." Seats free. All are welcome.

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Now is the time to clean carpets. If you want your carpets taken up, cleaned and relaid, send word to D. Douglass, No. 9 Park street, Montclair. Mr. Douglass has had years of experience in carpet cleaning, and has a large patronage in this town, Glen Ridge and Montclair. Those intending to move can have their carpets taken up, cleaned and relaid on short notice. The work will be well and promptly done.—*Adv.*

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MARRIAGE LAWS ABROAD.

How Breach of Promise Cases Are Averted in Hungary.

"There are many curious and interesting facts regarding the marriage and divorce laws of foreign countries," said R. J. Brown, who recently returned from a trip abroad, where he made a study of the question.

"Breaches of promise are averted in Hungary by an express declaration of the civil marriage act that the relations created by a betrothal do not give the right to command the conclusion of a marriage, but if either party withdraws from an engagement without just reasons he or she is bound to grant compensation to the extent of the outlay incurred. Divorce in the English sense does not exist, but the courts can decree the personal separation of a married couple without dissolving the bonds of matrimony.

"A curious law prevailing in France provides that before being married children of a family, although over age, shall seek in respectful and formal terms the advice of their father and mother. It makes no difference, however, whether the consent of parents is given, for the couple can be married a month after under any circumstances. This is also the case in the Netherlands. A divorce further entitles the innocent party to recover all the presents he or she may have made.

"According to the constitution of the Netherlands, the civil marriage must always precede the religious ceremony. The latter, indeed, is left entirely to the conscience of the parties concerned. There is also a law providing that no man or woman under thirty can marry without the consent of parents. If the consent be refused, the couple have to appear before a judge, who advises them as he thinks best.

"Many countries have now abolished all marriage fees. This is the case in Norway, while in the Netherlands certain days in the week are set apart when persons may be married without payment."—Indianapolis News.

BENTON AND BARNUM.

How the Showman Got a Free Ad. From the Statesman.

James G. Blaine said that after Fremont became famous as a pathfinder Benton, who had opposed his marriage with his daughter Jessie, became reconciled with his son-in-law and took great pride in his achievements as a western explorer.

The square on the southern side of Pennsylvania avenue, now occupied by Center market, was then used as a show ground for circuses and other peripatetic exhibitions. About this time P. T. Barnum was beginning his career as a showman, and as Colonel Benton was walking down Pennsylvania avenue opposite this show ground he was attracted by the words "John C. Fremont" uttered in a loud voice by a showman standing at the door of a small tent, in front of which was a garish caricature of a nondescript animal supposed to represent the "woolly horse" discovered by Fremont in the recesses of the Rocky mountains.

Benton stalked across the avenue and listened with great disgust to the statement by Barnum, who was his own doorkeeper and solicitor, that inside the tent could be found the greatest natural curiosity in the world, "the woolly horse captured by General Fremont and now on exhibition!"

Benton denounced Barnum as an impostor and denied that his son-in-law had discovered any such animal. Barnum, who did not know Benton, told him flippantly to pay his quarter and go into the show or make less noise, whereupon the indignant statesman called upon the police to arrest Barnum, and a large crowd assembled to witness the extraordinary scene. The police refused to interfere, and Barnum received a free advertisement, much to his gratification and profit.—George G. Vest in Philadelphia Post.

A Problem For the Holland Traveler.

In passing through the narrow, crooked little streets of Leeuwarden I chanced upon a sign that held my attention and compelled thought. It read, "L. v. d. Zwaan, Morgen Wekker." This is faultless Dutch for Morning Waker, and it signifies that L. v. d. Zwaan will, for a paltry sum, leave his bed in the frosty hours of early morning and, putting sweet sleep behind him, arouse his slumberous clients. Truly, a worthy calling! Yet, tell me, you who are versed in occult things, who or what in this somnolent land wakes the morgen wekker?—Edward Penfield in Scribner's.

Says Snow Causes Smallpox.

According to the statement made by Councilman Thomas Gannon, of West Orange, at the meeting of the Town Council of that place Tuesday night, the health of the residents of the town is endangered by the dumping of snow by the Public Service Corporation in vacant lots. At a previous meeting it was reported that snow was being taken from the streets of Orange and distributed along the Eagle Rock division of the Orange and Passaic Valley Railroad. The matter was then referred to the Board of Health with power.

Councilman Gannon reported that notwithstanding the action of the Council in referring the matter to the health authorities nothing had been done to abate the nuisance. Water from this dirty snow entered cisterns in the Watchung Heights section of the town, and the people were thus obliged to drink the refuse of Orange streets.

It had been proved, Mr. Gannon declared, that the first case of smallpox in the town during the epidemic two years ago developed in the section where snow was dumped that was taken from Cone and Hulburt streets, in Orange.

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Franchise Values.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE CITIZEN:

SIR: During the past few weeks the story has been current of two bearded men who, upon the trip between New York and Nutley, offered the train conductor half tickets. Upon being informed that these would not suffice for adults, the passengers replied that they were not at all to blame, as they were but boys when they boarded the train. Like these unfortunates many of us who travel to and from the city, have had ample time for reflection this winter; these unpleasant experiences, however, cannot be considered too great a price to pay, if the result of our reflections be a clearer view of the fundamental principles lying back of the whole public transportation problem.

Unfortunately it usually makes a great difference "whose ox is gored." We can look with complacency upon the inconvience or injustice suffered by others, if we ourselves can but feel safe and comfortable. But the disease germ generated in a distant part of the city, where the presence of filth reflects our selfish neglect, will pass bolts and bars, and lay low the loved ones of our own home. Even so, "an injustice to one is a menace to all," and the interests of no citizen are safe unless public interests and public rights are conserved.

We have seen Legislatures corruptly influenced to discriminate in favor of railroad corporations at the expense of the public welfare; we have seen traction franchises bartered away in perpetuity, regardless of prospective values; we have seen traction companies capitalize ill-gotten franchises for enormous amounts, and compel the struggling masses to pay such rates for travel as must cover—besides operating expenses—interest upon bonds issued to cover such franchise values; we see the same injustice reflected in excessive freight rates paid by farmers and business men. These various forms of injustice have not appealed to us with any great degree of force, because we ourselves were not feeling the pinch; but that a change of feeling is experienced as soon as we find our own convenience and comfort invaded by these same transportation corporations, even though we suffer to the extent only of being delayed an hour or two in getting home.

At such times, however, when the disease is acute, we seldom find more than hasty remedies applied, which prove to be mere palliatives, leaving the way open for more severe crises later. Some times it seems as though the only hope to a real cure lies in allowing conditions to become more and more intolerable, until the public becomes sufficiently interested to study the principles involved, and thus be enabled to apply the natural remedy—public recognition of the fact that public franchises belong to the public; that they cannot be rightfully sold to corporations nor individuals; that the public always and forever retain control of these franchises, either conducting public transportation—and other public utilities—in the interests of all, or, if found preferable, letting out the franchise for full annual compensation, and upon condition that the public interests should be properly protected, or the franchise revoked. The first and all-important step consists in educating the public as to the difference between the three kinds of property—"mine, thine, and ours." Land value and franchise value belong to the latter class, for they are not produced by any individual nor any class of individuals, but are the result of the presence of the people as a whole. When these values shall be taxed into the public treasury for governmental expenses, justice will be ensured to all parties—to the public which makes the grant for an annual equivalent, and to the grantee who receives full value for the amount received.

Then the deflection of public values into private pockets will cease, public carriers will be put upon their good behavior, and public transportation will naturally be conducted in a way to ensure the protection of public rights and the best interests of the people.

It is of course well to protest against such extremely inadequate service as we have been having from our transportation companies, and yet let us not forget that educational effort along the lines herein suggested offer the only method of securing permanent and effective relief. GEORGE L. RUSBY.

Nutley, N. J., Feb. 3 1904

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